



CRL OP(MD). No.13917 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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(Criminal Jurisdiction)

Date : 11/09/2025

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE S.SRIMATHY

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Jeyabalamurugan

... Petitioner/Accused

Vs

The State of Tamilnadu
Rep.By, The Sub Inspector of Police,
All Women Police Station,
Oomachikulam,
Madurai District
(Cr.No. 14/2025).

... Respondent/Complainant

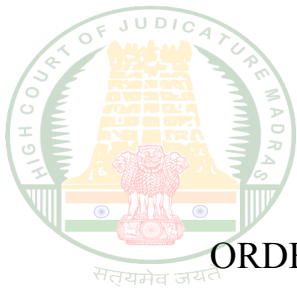
For Petitioner : Mr.j.Mohammed Ashik Jaman,
Advocate.

For Respondent : Mr.S.S.Manoj,
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

For Intervenor : Mr.P.Krishnasamy

PETITION FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL Under Sec.482 of BNSS

PRAYER :-For Anticipatory Bail in Crime No.14 of 2025 on the file of
the respondent police



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ORDER : The Court made the following order :-

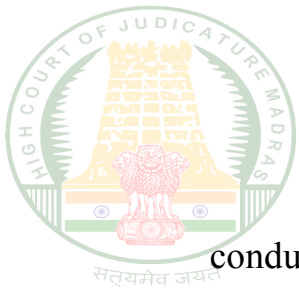
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The petitioner, who apprehends arrest at the hands of the respondent police for the offences punishable under Sections 109, 498(A), 506 of IPC and Section 4 of TNPWH Act, in Crime No.14 of 2025 on the file of the respondent police, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner and his family members have demanded additional dowry from the defacto complainant and harassed her. Hence, the complaint.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is an innocent person and he has not committed any offences as alleged by the prosecution. He further submitted that the petitioner is ready and willing to abide by any conditions which may be imposed by this Court. Hence, he seeks anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

4. The learned Government Advocate (Criminal Side) submitted that, based on the complaint, the matter has already been referred to the District Social Welfare Officer, who has issued notice to the parties and



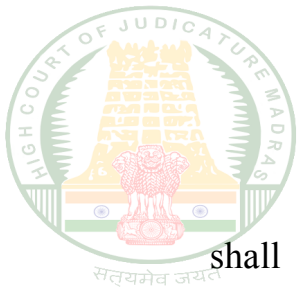
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conducted the enquiry and the same report before this Court in Na,Ka,No.375a4/2025 stating that there is no dowry harassment made by the petitioner. He further submitted that there is no previous case pending against the petitioner, and the investigation is almost completed. However, he opposed the grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

5. The learned counsel for the Intervenor submitted that the petitioner along with his family members have demanded additional dowry from the defacto complainant and harassed her. Hence, he strongly opposed for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and also the fact that the petitioner has filed a petition for divorce in HMOP.NO.125 of 2024 before the Sub Court, Paramakudi and the investigation has been almost completed, this Court is inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner, subject to certain conditions.

7. Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail in the event of arrest or on his appearance, on condition that the petitioner



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shall execute a bond for a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) with two sureties each for a like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate No.V, Madurai, within a period of fifteen days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and on further conditions that:

[a]the petitioner and the sureties shall affix their photographs and left thumb impression in the surety bond and the Magistrate may obtain a copy of their Aadhaar card or bank pass book to ensure their identity;

[b] the petitioner shall stay at Ramanathapuram and report before the Inspector of Police, Ramanathapuram Town Police Station, once in a week ie., on every Sunday at 10.30 a.m., for a period of one month and thereafter report before the respondent police as and when required for interrogation;

[c]the petitioner shall not tamper with the evidence or witness either during investigation or trial.

[d]the petitioner shall not abscond either during investigation or trial.



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[e] On breach of any of the aforesaid conditions, the learned Magistrate/Trial Court is entitled to take appropriate action against the petitioner in accordance with law as if the conditions have been imposed and the petitioner is released on bail by the learned Magistrate/Trial Court himself as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in P.K.Shaji vs. State of Kerala [(2005)AIR SCW 5560].

[f]If the accused thereafter absconds, a fresh FIR can be registered under Section 269 of BNS.

(S S Y J)
11.09.2025

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To

- 1.The learned Judicial Magistrate No.V, Madurai
- 2.The Sub Inspector of Police,
All Women Police Station,
Oomachikulam,
Madurai District
3. The inspector of Police,
Ramanathapuram Town Police Station,
Ramanathapuram.
4. The Additional Public Prosecutor,
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,
Madurai.

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